
IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE DISTRICT OF UTAH, CENTRAL DIVISION

DARWIN BLACK,

Plaintiff,

v.

FIRST CHOICE FINANCIAL LLC, et al.,
Defendants.

MEMORANDUM DECISION AND ORDER
GRANTING MOTION TO AMEND

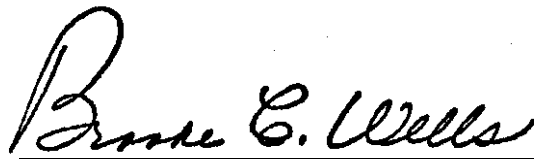
Case No. 1:11-cv-0006 BCW

Magistrate Judge Brooke Wells

This matter is before the Court on a Motion to Amend filed by Plaintiff Darwin Black.¹ Pursuant to Rule 15(a) a party may amend its pleading once as a matter of course if it is within 21 days after serving it or by agreement of the other side. “The court should freely give leave when justice so requires.”²

Here, this case is in its relative infancy. Plaintiff filed his first Complaint on January 11, 2011 and the Answer was due March 2, 2011.³ According to Plaintiff, the “Amended Complaint provides added clarity to the claims asserted against Defendants”⁴ and one Defendant has yet to be served. Having reviewed the merits of the Motion, and the current posture of the case, the Court finds that it is well-taken. Therefore, Plaintiff’s Motion to Amend is GRANTED.

DATED this 4 March 2011.



Brooke C. Wells
United States Magistrate Judge

¹ Docket no. 6.

² Fed. R. Civ. P. 15(a)(2) (2010).

³ Docket no. 5.

⁴ Mem. in Supp. p. 3.